



**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY**  
**COLLEGES**  
**REP. SCOTT A VANSINGEL**  
**CHAIR**

**COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

Thursday, February 27, 2020                      9:00 AM                      Room 519, House Office Building

The House Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education and Community Colleges was called to order by Chair VanSingel.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

Present: Reps. VanSingel, Bollin, Green, Huizenga, Slagh, Anthony, Hoadley.

Absent/Excused: None.

Representative Bollin moved to adopt the meeting minutes from February 20, 2020. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Anne Wohlfert, Department of Treasury, gave a presentation to the committee on scholarship and grant programs offered by the Office of Postsecondary Financial Planning. Questions and discussion followed.

Ryan Fewins-Bliss, Michigan College Access Network, gave a presentation to the committee on the work of MCAN and college affordability and access. Questions and discussion followed.

Catherine Brown, The Institute for College Access & Success, gave a presentation to the committee on student debt and college affordability. Questions and discussion followed.

There being no further business before the committee, Rep. Scott VanSingel adjourned the meeting at 10:02 AM.

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Representative Scott VanSingel, Chair

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